

### **Amendments to the Specification:**

On page 2, beginning on line 13 of the specification, please replace the paragraph with the following amended paragraph:

While television cameras could be employed to perform the same function, the exclusive use of television cameras ~~[[are]]~~ is not desirable. For example, when crewmembers are on long term assignments within a module without windows the crewmembers are effectively in an environment without a visual connection with the outside world or space. This form of sensory deprivation can have a negative impact on the crew's psychological well being.

On page 4, line 23 of the specification, please replace the sentence with the following amended sentence;

Fig. 6 is a ~~cut-away side~~ partial cross-sectional view of a window;

On page 6, beginning on line 3 of the specification, please replace the paragraph with the following amended paragraph;

Addressing Fig. 4, the restraint layer 100 fits over a bladder ~~[[118]]~~ 128. A rigid structural core 120 is comprised of a fore assembly 122 and an aft assembly 124 separated by at least one longeron 126. The restraint layer 100 and bladder 116 are secured to the ends of the core at the fore and aft assemblies by conventional means such as the use of end rings and/or attachment rings. The bladder and restraint layer are attached to the core in such a way as to substantially prevent loss of the gas within the module while the bladder is inflated.

On page 6, beginning on line 13 of the specification, please replace the paragraph with the following amended paragraph;

Returning now to Fig. 1, the exterior surface of [[the]] bladder [[122]] 128 is visible from the outside of the figure. In practice, when the bladder is inflated the window template would be within the window opening 102. In this way, the bladder is restrained from extending through the opening 102.